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	FOR THE NORTHERN	DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS	
	EASTERN	DIVISION	
	CHARLES BOCOCK, Plaintiff V,	1:19-cv-03877 Judge: Jorge L. Alonso Magistrate Judge: Sidney I. Schenkier PC 7	
	THOMAS J. DART,		
	Defendant	RECEIVED	
	COMPLAINT THOMAS G. BRUTON CLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT PLAINTIFF, Charles Bocook, Self-represented, Complains at Defendant, Thomas J. Dart, as follows:		
	Defendant is the Sheriff of Cook County.		
2.	Plaintiff is a pretrial detained housed in Division 6 at the Cook County Jail,		
3,	The Cook Country Jail is operated by Defendant.		
4,	Defendant has a policy which is an absolute ban on the receipt or possession of newspapers by residents of the jail.		
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5. Plaintiff desired to read the New York Times, a national daily newspaper. 6. Defendant's policy prohibited Plaintiff from ordering a copy of the New York Times. 7. Plaintiff is a British citizen. 8. Plaintiff desired to read the Guardian, a daily British national neuspaper 9. Plaintiff was mailed a copy of the Guardian from a British non-profit, Prisoners Abroad. 10. Receipt of the Guardian was denied pursuant to Defendant's policy and the newspaper was returned to Plaintiff had no access to news of important events concerning his home nation, such as "Brexit." 12. Plaintiff suffered emotional distress from his inability to read newspapers. 13. This case is brought pursuant to 42 U.S.C. \$ 1983.

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14. This case is	brought against	Defendant	n his
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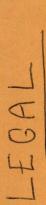
15. Defendant's policy of an absolute ban on the receipt and possession of newspapers at the Cook County Jail Violates Plaintiffs free spech first amendment right to read newspapers, and his fourteenth amendment right to due process under the U.S. Constitution.

PLAINTIFF prays this Court to declare Defendant Violates Plaintiff's rights to free speech and due process; award Claintiff general, punitive, compensatory and nominal damages for those violations; and any other relief deemed just.

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